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## Body

GLENN BECK, HOST: I have told you for a while: you've got to watch the other hand. These people in Washington are magicians. There are no accidents with this administration. Everything these people do have a purpose.

I want to show you three stories tonight.

First, health care and the abortion debate. Health care will pass. Everybody is bickering over this bill today because of the federal tax dollars that are going to pay for abortions. How can we get this out of the bill?

Stop! It is a diversion. It already has you assuming that the health care bill is passing -- and mark my words, what you're going to see in the next 30 minutes will confirm it. This bill will pass, and it will change everything.

Next one: watch the other hand. Copenhagen -- oh, is the president going to be in Copenhagen? Yes, sure, the big Climate Change Conference. Everybody is focused on what's going to happen there, even though the participants readily admit no agreements are going to be reached.

He doesn't have to go. Cap-and-trade is already here.

They're just -- just a little bit of news today that maybe you should be brought up to speed on. The EPA today has classified -- that, CO2, as dangerous, and now we can regulate it. Gee, if we only had a really spooky regulatory czar. Oh, that's right. We do.

And finally: the White House crashers. You know about these people that crashed the White House last week in the state party. What was the diversion there? Well, who else was at the White House that they were partying with?

Is it possible that a convicted felon wrote the plan for health care? Oh, boy, you are not going to believe it, and you will only see it here.

Stay where you are.

(MUSIC)

BECK: Hello, America. Boy, oh, boy, I got something that's going to blow your mind.

If I asked you what color dress was that woman wearing at the White House last week, you'd know it, wouldn't you? What color would you say? Right? Red. Wearing a red dress.

Everybody knows her now. Everyone is focused on these two clowns. But there was somebody else that nobody noticed, not these two. Oh, no.

They noticed -- did anybody notice this guy? I didn't. Andrew Breitbart called me with this story over the weekend. This story is just breaking now on Breitbart.com and BigGovernment.com. It's amazing.

I got this call and I said, "Andrew, that can't be true, can't be." This guy was a convicted felon, a convicted felon, Robert Creamer.

You know, the White House had a real problem with me saying that Van Jones -- I think I've said it on one episode that Van Jones was a convicted felon. He wasn't. I didn't even know what the definition of -- somebody goes to jail or prison is a convicted felon. No, no. No, no, no.

I've checked six ways to Sunday today. Are you sure this guy was a convicted felon because the White House had a real problem with me when I said convicted felon on Van Jones. So, they want to make sure that Van Jones is understood, he is not a convicted felon.

This man is. Well, who is he? His name is Robert Creamer, and he's the husband of this woman. She is a Democrat congresswoman -- oh, from Illinois. You know her. There they are there.

She said this.

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REP. JAN SCHAKOWSKY (D), ILLINOIS: Was a guy from the insurance company who then argued against the public health insurance option, saying it wouldn't let private insurance compete, that a public option will put the private insurance industry out of business.

(CHEERING)

SCHAWOWSKY: My single-payer friends, he was right. The man was right.

(END VIDEO CLIP)

BECK: Got it. Got it. See, before, "Oh, please, Glenn, you play that stuff, that's just a crazy congresswoman, she (INAUDIBLE)." Hmm, really?

Well, her husband, you know, the convict, he used to be the leader of the ACORN-tied left-wing group called Citizens Action Illinois. Isn't Obama and all the friends from Illinois? That's weird, ain't it?

But the FBI began investigating him for bank fraud -- and get this -- income tax evasion. This is him going into the courthouse, you know. He stepped down. In 2006, he was convicted and served a year and a half in federal prison and house arrest, OK?

While he was in prison, he wrote a book. It's a nice book. This is 2006, remember? The name of the book, "Listen to Your Mother, Stand Up Straight: How Progressives Can Win." Are you with me so far?

Here we have a convicted felon married to this congresswoman, at the same party right here at the state dinner. He went to prison -- by the way, this is a doctored photo. I want you to know, this is not an actual photo of him behind bars. But he was behind bars. OK? Convicted felon at this party -- I understand that's exceptionally rare for a felon to attend something at the White House. He wrote this book.

Now, it's interesting that in his prison manual, Creamer laid out a progressive agenda for structural change. It included a 10 -point man for foisting universal health care on you in 2009 -- written in 2006.

Remember, his wife, congresswoman, this is what she said -- do you remember?

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SCHAKOWSKY: The public option will put the private insurance out of business.

(CHEERING)

SCHAKOWSKY: My single payer friends, he was right.

(END VIDEO CLIP)

BECK: OK. So now, here they are now last week hanging out at White House with the president. How does a convicted felon go to parties with the president? How does that happen -- especially when he wrote a prison novel? I mean, this prison book, it's got to be crazy, right?

Well, let's look in the prison manifesto and see if any of this sounds familiar. He says, quote, "We must create a national consensus that health care is a right, not a commodity, and that government must guarantee that right." Hmm. Have they -- have they accomplished this one?

Here's Barack Obama, second presidential debate last year. Here it is

(BEGIN VIDEO CLIP)

BARACK OBAMA, THEN-PRESIDENTIAL CANDIDATE: For every American.

(END VIDEO CLIP)

BECK: Do we have it? We have it? OK. Trust me. He said it.

Health care is not a right. It is not in the Constitution. Progressives like FDR wanted a second bill of rights. He wanted to make it a right, along with creating a right to a job, a right to a house. That would, of course, fundamentally transform America.

Also, another fan of this, regulatory czar Cass Sunstein. This is the most dangerous man in America. He likes the idea of this. We'll come back to him in about a half an hour. Don't miss it.

Now, right, yes, that's what they're pushing for.

Next on the list, we must create a national consensus that the health care system is in crisis. Do we have a crisis? Watch.

(BEGIN VIDEO CLIP)

OBAMA: The need for reform is urgent and it is indisputable.

(END VIDEO CLIP)

BECK: Sure. It's indisputable.

How many times have you heard those words "health care crisis"? I haven't seen a health care -- 80 percent of the people are happy with their health care.

Still, from the federal prison cell, Robert Creamer had more suggestions for health care reform. This one you've got to love, "Our messaging program over the next two years should focus heavily on reducing the credibility of the health insurance industry and focusing on the failure of private health insurance."

Have they done that?

(BEGIN VIDEO CLIP)

OBAMA: If you're worried about rationed care, higher costs, denied coverage or bureaucrats getting between you and your doctor, then you should know that that's what's happening right now. In the past three years, over 12 million Americans were discriminated against by insurance companies due to a pre-existing condition, or saw their

coverage denied or dropped just when they got sick and need it most. Americans whose jobs and health care are secure today just don't know if they'll be the next to join the 14,000 who lose their health insurance every single day.

One man from Illinois lost his coverage in the middle of chemotherapy because his insurer found that he hadn't reported gallstones that he didn't even know about. They delayed his treatment and he died because of it.

(END VIDEO CLIP)

BECK: Oh, my gosh, I hate health care.

Actually, the truth is, that man received health care, lived another three or four years. They can't find a truthful example of health care sob stories so they have to make them up. That's not the only one they made up.

But why would they worry about the truth when the entire game plan on health care was designed by a convicted felon while written in prison?

By the way, a better way to report what the president just said that 14,000 people lose their health insurance every single day would be this: if you average all the numbers out over, you know, just kind of look at them over the last 10 months, about 14,000 people lose their jobs every single day -- thus they lose their health care insurance.

Maybe the president should worry about jobs. No, but that's not part of the prison plan.

But what else is? Well, deals. We need to systematically forge relationships with large sectors of the business employer community -- oh, and they have. The administration has teamed up with big pharmaceuticals to sell this debacle.

And that's not the only ones they teamed up with. In fact, John McCain just spoke out about this over the weekend. Here it is.

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SEN. JOHN MCCAIN (R), ARIZONA: I don't know what deal has been cut in Senator Reid's office as the deal was cut with the pharmaceutical companies, and the deal was cut with the AMA, and the deal was cut with the hospital association. I don't know what the deal was with pharma. They got -- they told them they would oppose drug re-importation from Canada and told them, the pharma, that they would not allow competition for Medicare patients. So, I don't know what the deal was cut that bought them, but I know that deals have been going on and I know they're unsavory.

(END VIDEO CLIP)

BECK: AARP is in on those details.

Throughout this entire game plan, there's no concern for actual facts. It's just about getting a health care bill done with no regard for what's actually happening. Oh, it's -- it's spooky stuff, because it transforms America into a progressive dream.

The next goal -- we need to convince political leaders that they owe their elections at least in part to the groundswell of support of universal health care and that they face political peril if they fail to deliver on universal health care in 2009.

This is why they are discrediting the tea parties. They have to say, "Oh, those are nobodies! That's nothing." They need to do it.

Now, have they done this? Watch this.

(BEGIN VIDEO CLIP)

ANDY STERN, SEIU PRESIDENT: We're trying to use the power of persuasion. And if that doesn't work, we're going to use the persuasion of power.

(END VIDEO CLIP)

BECK: Never mind the fact that the groundswell of support amounts to a whopping 35 percent for this plan, which is the same as "Hillary Care" in the '90s, 35 percent. Nobody wants this thing, and yet they're still going. They're not afraid of you. They're afraid of that guy.

The pressure that has been brought to bear on politicians has been unbelievable. Pelosi, Reid, Obama, have threatened and arm-twisted their way through nearly everyone in Washington. The president himself has met with blue dog Democrats to let them know their political futures are on the line. They're also buying people off in their own party like Mary Landrieu, $300 million deal for Louisiana.

So, have they done that? You bet.

Next, we do not need to agree on the advanced components of a plan, but we must foster a process that can ultimately yield a consensus. Have they done that? Oh, you bet.

Two thousand pages. You see it happening today with the abortion diversion. They don't agree on the components of the plan. Most people in Congress don't even know the components of the plan. They just got to get it passed, just get it out, they tweak and fit whatever it is they want later.

Next one, over the next two years, we must design and organize a massive national field program, unions, Organizing for America, ACORN, HCAN, AARP have jumped onboard. Watch this ad field program.

(BEGIN VIDEO CLIP, HCAN AD)

NARRATOR: The health insurance industry makes $25 billion in profits. No wonder the insurance lobby spent millions trying to stop the Senate from even debating health insurance reform. It's about taking on the insurance companies, making health care affordable for our families. No more denied coverage if you're sick.

(END VIDEO CLIP)

(BEGIN VIDEO CLIP, AARP AD)

NARRATOR: Special interest groups are trying to block progress on health care reform, derailing the debate with myths and scare tactics.

(END VIDEO CLIPS)

BECK: Myths and scare tactics.

SEIU, meanwhile, has been delivering beatdowns for health care. The political equivalent have been delivered to Walmart, the latest is Comcast.

Next one, we're up to eight -- all of these have been done so far. We're up to eight, church and unions. Here it is -- we must focus especially on mobilization of the labor movement and the faith community.

Again, Andy Stern's SEIU -- mobilize the arm-twisting effort, as well as convincing rabbis, pastors, anybody on the pulpit to preach the health care reform gospel from the pulpit.

You ask yourself this one question: In the last six months, have you heard this message come from your pastor, priest or rabbi? Anything about social justice? Anything about health care? If so, number eight has been achieved in your church.

I have been sent so many tips on this one. I have been looking at church Web sites. I cannot believe what I am seeing. There's -- several of these Web sites you can go three clicks from your church Web site and you are at HCAN.

Here is the next goal: We must systematically leverage the connections and the resources of the massive array of institutions and organizations of all types. Gee, where have I heard that one before?

(BEGIN AUDIO CLIP)

OBAMA: One of the, I think, the tragedies of the civil rights movement was because the civil rights movement became so court-focused I think that there was a tendency to lose track of the political and community organizing and activities on the ground that are able to put together the actual coalitions of power through which you bring about redistributive change.

(END AUDIO CLIP)

BECK: Actual coalitions of power. Hello!

And we're counting `em down, all the way up to number 10.

To be successful, we must put in place commitments for hundreds of millions of dollars to be used to finance paid communications and mobilization once the battle is joined. Money, money, money -- the amount of money and number of organizations that they have gathered for this fight is stunning. Tides Foundation. SEIU spend $60 million to elect Obama. HCAN has donated $25 million in the last year to help pass Obama's health care. But they need that money to able to combat the will of the vast majority of the American people.

Creamer and his prison plan writes, "To win, we must not just generate understanding, but emotion, fear, revulsion, anger and disgust."

Have they done that?

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OBAMA: If that same diabetic ends up getting their foot amputated, that's $30,000, $40,000, $50,000 -- immediately the surgeon is reimbursed.

"You know what? I make a lot more money if I take this kid's tonsils out."

NARRATOR: Now, desperate Republicans and their well-funded allies are organizing angry mobs just like they did during the election.

(END VIDEO CLIPS)

BECK: Wow, angry mobs. Fear, disgust?

Obama and Pelosi have dealt in the politics of fear since the inauguration, while accusing the right of doing that. The Obama administration is trying to stir up emotion, revulsion and fear to peddle this massive government takeover for the progressive plan, developed in prison. In the process, they have seemingly followed his plan -- from a convicted felon, they have followed it to the letter, all of them. All of them -- all of them have been done. That's got to be a coincidence.

What are the odds? Can somebody in Vegas? Steve Wynn, are you watching? Can you compute the odds of this and tell me what the odds are of this going right in Vegas? What a coincidence, huh?

Oh, and by the way, another pure coincidence you'll see here in the acknowledgements right at the beginning -- here. He actually says, "Hey, by the way, Saul Alinsky, you're an inspiration." Huh?

Another pure coincidence that Creamer predicted all of this would happen in 2009 after a progressive president was elected and then he went right to work after he got out of prison for the Obama campaign, trained volunteers at "Camp Obama."

Whoa! What an amazing coincidence that he was at the White House with these guys at the first state dinner. Wow!

I'm pretty sure convicted felons are usually barred from such events. At least somebody would raise a flag there. But nobody noticed -- nobody noticed, because somebody else snuck into the party. Yes. Yes. Pure coincidence, I'm sure.

But instead of speculating, you know what we could do? If I just had a way to communicate with the White House, wouldn't it be easy? I mean, what an easy way to shut all of this down. The White House has the phone. They could just call me. It's still -- yes, it's still working.

They got the phone number. Oh, I know they're watching today. Just call.

You know what they should do? This is probably what they will do. They'll just attack me. They'll smear me. They'll say -- whatever. Whatever.

But just answer the question. The phone is working. Call the red phone, White House.

Why wouldn't you do that? Why wouldn't you do it?

Could it be that you don't have any -- because they're not difficult to answer these questions. There -- is it -- is it that it's true?

Did you know this man was a criminal while he trained volunteers at "Camp Obama"? This, by the way, would be the second person who had done jail time that you've hired. Did you know that? Did you know about this book, or is it just an amazing coincidence that you're following the prison plan to the letter? Is it just a coincidence that this guy shows up at a state dinner?

You know, I'm pretty confident that the Secret Service knows this man's criminal background. The question is: why and who let him in?

You see, I don't believe in coincidence. I don't -- I don't think there is anything but -- I mean, even if you do, is there any point to where the coincidence is just too much? It just doesn't fly anymore?

I didn't know that my preacher was a Marxist. Sure, I sat in the pew for 20 years, but I had no idea.

I didn't know my green jobs czar defended cop killers and was a communist and he called himself a communist.

I had no idea my science czar wanted to put sterilants in the drinking water and then imposed forced abortions.

I didn't know that my communications director loved Chairman Mao.

And, you know, and I had no idea this reality star wannabe crashing the state dinner. What?

I didn't know a convicted felon, a progressive activist that wrote a book that is exactly the plan that I'm doing and he wrote it in prison. I didn't know he was also at that dinner.

Wow! Do you care to correct me? Would you like to?

You can't. No jury in America would believe you. None.

But as they say, on television -- but wait, there's more! Next.

BECK: I have been telling you for a while now, you got to watch the other hand with these people in Washington. Thank goodness, BigGovernment.com and Andrew Breitbart are always watching, as are we.

Andrew called me yesterday and alerted me to this story. It just broke about -- well, five minutes, I mean, five after the hour, we started recording it. Start your watches. See when the mainstream media actually covers this story.

The rest of the world is paying attention to the White House dinner crashers, right? The woman in the red dress.

The journalists apparently didn't feel it necessary to comb through the rest of the guest list. If they did, perhaps they would have noticed the convicted felon who was on the list. I just told you about that felon, Robert Creamer. I showed you his beliefs. He's a -- he's a disciple of the radical Saul Alinsky. And that's not me saying it, that's him saying here in his book that he wrote in prison right here.

And Obama seems to be following the guidelines of this book. It's hard to get this book. Yes, it's difficult. I think all the copies are at the White House.

Now, some will say, "Well, that's just a coincidence." Like I've said, really?

So, let's do a journalist job for them once again since they're not doing it, and report on Creamer's history. See if any of this sounds familiar. Let's start with the convicted felon part.

First of all, he was a lobbyist, executive director for Illinois Public Action Fund. Yes, it's great. It's kind of like ACORN.

He was later indicted in federal court on 16 counts of bank fraud in excess of $2 million. It is like ACORN, ain't it?

He pleaded guilty of one count of failure to collect withholding tax and bank fraud for writing checks with insufficient funds.

In 2006, he was sentenced and served a year and a half in federal prison and house arrest. Got it? Yet another progressive who dedicates their life to forcing higher taxes on the people and then avoids paying them. Of course, he's at the White House! And then a guy with such values and morals and that he has no problem completely ripping off the non-profit entity that he's working for.

After jail, he went right back to work though for the progressive cause, working for the little people, i.e., the people he was stealing from.

Was he shunned by his peers? No, quite the opposite. His consulting firm, Strategic Consulting Group, is on the rise and boasted an impressive roster of clients. Oh, you may have heard some of these names before -- the AFL-CIO, the United Steelworkers Union of America, ACORN, and say it with me, SEIU. Isn't it weird? I mean, these were all the people trying to create jobs last week at the jobs summit. I wonder if he knew.

The book this guy wrote while on -- as he calls it -- forced sabbatical, I call it prison, he says, you know, he writes this and hasn't been mocked by other progressives. No, no, it's been endorsed.

And let me give you some of the few glowing reviews. First of all, from Andy Stern -- surprise, surprise -- SEIU. He says the book will "hopefully inspire more people to act," or write in prison, maybe.

Then there's John Podesta. Hey, isn't this the guy who -- yes, I think, Van Jones now works for John Podesta, Center of American Progress. He says the book is just "straight-up shot in the arm for progressives."

Then there's the founder of MoveOn.org, who says it's an "inspirational and serious tool" for the progressive agenda.

Arianna Huffington says the book will help "return America to its progressive roots."

The member of the Congressional Black Caucus, we've got -- or the progressive caucus, Congressman John Lewis. He says the book will help "create our society's next historical movement."

Then there is a member of the U.S. Subcommittee on Health, Congressman Lloyd Doggett. He says, "this book is a blueprint for victory." Uh-uh.

And last but not least, our very -- our very good friend on this program, a long-time friend and top Obama advisor, David Axelrod. It's weird because he says almost the same thing the congressman just said. He says the book is "a blueprint for future victories."

David Axelrod, the prison plan is a blueprint? The one that seems to be using -- the one that has all of the things that the White House has been doing to scare people into health care?

Still believe in coincidences? Yes. Yes. I didn't think so.

Next, the danger of this -- next.

(NEWS BREAK)

BECK: Well, today, the two-week international climate change summit in Copenhagen opened with a goal of curbing the amount of carbon dioxide that the biggest nations in the world produce. It hasn't really seemed to bother any of these E-mail climate scientists that the summit is going to produce itself.

Some 40,000 tons of carbon is a result of this little get together. That's according to "The New York Post." They said that the amount is equal to the daily amount of carbon dioxide produced by 30 small nations in a year, just so they could gather and talk.

British news reports that at least 140 private planes and more than 1,000 limos are making their own carbon footprint in Copenhagen. That's all happening this month. I'm not sure, but I don't think that is eco-friendly. Perhaps the global warming alarmists should use the Internet, you know, that thing that Al Gore invented or conference calls. Oh, no. The White House doesn't seem to know how to use the phone, so maybe they should fly there.

I want to play some video for you and I want to warn right now. When I first saw these - they are extraordinarily disturbing. At least, they were for me. If you have children in the room, I would suggest that you have them leave at this point, pause it and then start it when they're gone. I want to show you a video that the left is running. And you tell me, does this look like a scare tactics?

This is despicable and obviously designed to frighten you and your children into stopping, I guess, air travel. Maybe it's just me and I live in New York and the New York area. Things falling onto the streets, passing buildings - not cool. Not cool.

The average European flight produces 400 kilograms or 880 pounds of greenhouse gas. That's what this is all about, stop flying. That's the average weight of a polar bear. So do polar bears die from these gases? Is that the conclusion that we're supposed to draw here?

I mean, it's interesting that in an age of air travel, in an age where the airplane has transformed everything, and air travel has had an explosion, so has the polar bear population. Let's track this.

In 1970 - remember this date - in 1970, there were 383 million airline passengers. In 2008, over 2 billion passengers. The number of flights has increased fivefold in the same time period.

The polar bear population has also reportedly increased five times. In 1970, there were 5,000 polar bears. Today, 25,000. According to the U.S. National Snow and Ice Data Center a glitch in the satellite centers caused scientists to underestimate the extent of the Arctic Sea ice by 5,000 square kilometers. That is the area the size of California.

Do you remember this ad? All these flights - he has no more ice. It was a satellite glitch, meaning the sea ice level at the end of last year, the same as it was in 1979, when satellite monitoring began.

Yes, it appears that all their homeland, their hunting ground, the largest of any animal on earth is all still there. But these hysterical climate change zealots - they want to stop air travel. Let's think this one through, shall we?

Without air travel, business would grind to a halt. Forget about overnight delivery. It would take forever to get somewhere. On the other hand, it would take these knuckleheads a lot longer to get to Copenhagen to develop their new ways to ruin life as we know it.

The alarmists can't have you thinking about the things that they are telling you. They can't have you even going outside or, for that matter, even looking out your window to see the earliest snowfall in Houston, Texas history last Friday. Tonight they're expecting the first snowfall since 1976 in Sacramento, California.

Al Gore was just interviewed in "Outside" magazine and was asked, "How do you talk to these climate change naysayers? He said the answer is he doesn't. No. Here is the exact quote, "The denial movement is in its sunset phase."

Really? As IPCC scientists and NASA global warming propagandists are being shown to have faked, deleted, manipulated facts to make their case - that's the movement in the sunset phase? He continued, "And they're putting on a spectacular display just before they fade. The scientific evidence is so overwhelming now, and people are seeing the changes all around them."

Yes, they are, like snow in Houston. He had more, "Older people telling their grandchildren these patterns different. Farmers are no longer able to predict the arrival of rainfall."

What, really? None of their fabulous computer models, not one predicted the current 10-year cooling trend we're in now? And the farmers in the 1930s - I'm pretty sure they couldn't predict the rainfall during the dust bowl, but I digress.

Al added, "People who look for birds are finding dramatic shifts in their range. They must not watch Glenn Beck." Now, I'm not sure how to take that last comment from the mighty Gore-acle.

Is he saying that those people must not watch me because if they did, he could tell the farmers and birdwatchers, you know, why these things are happening, or at least, you know, it's not because their tail type?

Or is it that he is just so fragile in his beliefs that he is telling people not to watch my show because his argument falls apart as soon as people see hear any fact in this debate rather than the lies, distortion and destruction of the truth?

Since he has told us time and time again the debate is over, I tend to think it is the latter, especially in the light of the Diane Sawyer interview about a month ago. Do we have it?

Remember? She was like, hey, "Glenn Beck said you shouldn't eat meat." He was like, "Oh, ah. Oh, ah." He was a little uncomfortable. Yes. Al, I don't think the sun is setting on the global warming people - you know what I mean? I mean, you're the one putting on the spectacular display just before you fade. It doesn't get more spectacular than raining polar bears.

Again, disturbing video. Yes. The evidence now coming out against this doesn't make global warming arguments fade. This argument will have the same demise as these polar bears. It is going to come crashing down to earth quickly.

By the way, the average weight of a polar bear is about the same as 37 fake global warming scientists spewing climate change lies. How about I produce an ad that shows those guys falling out of the sky? Hey, if I did, do you think the mainstream media might then start reporting, you know, lies and scare tactics?

(BEGIN AUDIO CLIP)

UNIDENTIFIED MALE: Still don't know what do get your boring coworker for Christmas? Why not get a copy of "Arguing With Idiots?" Then, at least, the next time you get stuck in the elevator together, he'll have something interesting to say. Available at "GlennBeck.com/BookCzar."

BECK: I have tried to warn you about this administration. Back in September, I said this about Cass Sunstein.

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(on camera): He's really dangerous because nobody sees him coming. Nobody sees what - the power that this man has. And while he's not a radical, his views are radical.

(END VIDEO CLIP)

I have called him the most dangerous man in Washington because nobody sees him coming. Back in June, I warned you and I warned Congress about this.

(BEGIN VIDEO CLIP)

(on camera): I think Congress is overplaying their hand. And more importantly, I think they are being outplayed and outmaneuvered. I think they're making themselves irrelevant to a massive new federal framework that Obama seems to be erecting with all kinds of czars and everything else.

(END VIDEO CLIP)

And then, they're going to find themselves out in the parking lot asking themselves, "How the heck did this happen?" Watch as these two things that I warned you about come together now. They are connected.

Today, diplomats from all over the world, kicking off the two- week the U.N. climate change conference in Copenhagen. Everybody says, "Oh, no. Nothing is going to happen there."

Really? Well, here back at home, they're not worried about it. The Environmental Protection Agency and the Obama administration have moved now towards regulating greenhouse gases without that pesky irrelevant Congress getting in the way.

The EPA just ruled that carbon dioxide - let me explain what carbon dioxide is. That's air. That's carbon dioxide - along with five other greenhouse gases, endanger humans and now have to be regulated. This was the next step after the Supreme Court in 2007 ruled and saying that carbon dioxide and other greenhouse gases are pollutants under the Clean Air Act.

The EPA had to determine whether or not the gases were harmful to humans. Well, lo and behold, they just did. Now, if we could just find somebody who was into regulation - we have the regulatory czar. Isn't that great? Cass Sunstein can now regulate companies who emit these gases.

By the way, the companies that are the biggest offenders are power plants - you know, coal-fired power plants, factories, cars. So the same White House who just held a jobs summit last week has just made a major staggering move to regulate companies that will stifle job creation.

How is that possible? Again, I remember, irrelevant Congress and Cass Sunstein. See, he's the guy who wrote the book "Nudge." This is more of a push towards something really, really bad that is coming our way, and you'll beg for it by the time it comes, called cap and trade. Next.

BECK: EPA announced today they're going to start - they were like, "Carbon dioxide is bad. We've got to regulate it." It's a job killer.

David Kreutzer is here. He's a senior policy analyst, energy economics and climate change at the Heritage Foundation.

David, first of all, biggest CO2 emitter that would be affected by this will be coal plants, right?

DAVID KREUTZER, SENIOR POLICY ANALYST, HERITAGE FOUNDATION: Correct. Yes.

BECK: All right. How much energy do we get from coal plants? Percentage -

KREUTZER: We get half of our electricity from coal. So, you know -

BECK: If I may quote the president, our electricity rates will necessarily skyrocket.

KREUTZER: I think that's a good quote. At one time, he was accurate.

BECK: OK. Let me show the American people this - loss of GDP due to regulation of CO2. This is - you see, there is 2010 there. We lose about $100 million to GDP.

KREUTZER: $100 billion.

BECK: $100 billion?

KREUTZER: Billion - billion, yes.

BECK: Then we have down here at the bottom, about what - $610 billion by 2029?

KREUTZER: Yes.

BECK: I have been looking at the deficit. I don't know how we do that to ourselves. Then, they show you the potential job loss under the Clean Air. We lose - is it only 200,000 jobs in 2010?

KREUTZER: Well, you know, it is probably going to be worse than that. We did that study when they first came out with their proposal to regulate under the Clean Air Act and the targets they were looking for were somewhat milder than the targets or anything for now. Those numbers are too low, so there should be greater losses.

BECK: So if you look at this, you see job losses. These are all in the negative. The bottom lines here are 805,000.

KREUTZER: Yes.

BECK: I mean, there is no way to survive here. Am I wrong in thinking this is the United States government nudging us into cap and trade saying - boy, cocking the trigger and saying, "You don't want us to regulate this. You really want cap and trade" - I mean, we have nowhere to go here, right?

KREUTZER: Yes. It is a disingenuous sort of nudge. I call it - you're nudging with a bulldozer, by the way. But the EPA - I mean, the Clean Air Act was a law written by Congress. If Congress doesn't want carbon dioxide to be regulated under the Clean Air Act, a one-sentence bill will fix that.

This is political theater. They're trying to pretend like there is this gun. They are holding the gun against their own head.

BECK: David -

KREUTZER: But - yes?

BECK: We have Cass Sunstein who I think is an extraordinarily dangerous man because he has access - you don't have to pass anything. He is doing it now. You don't have to pass anything.

KREUTZER: Right.

BECK: You don't have to do anything. He has control of all the regulations, and he is an extremist. I mean, if you read his writings, the man is an extremist. He talks about redistribution of wealth, et cetera, et cetera. In your wildest

dreams, why would you do this? Is there any way for the country to economically survive this move today if they enact it?

KREUTZER: It is not going to be good. You know, we're clever people. We will survive something. But it will have all costs, very little benefits. There will be intrusive government regulation.

The EPA laid their cards out about a year and a half ago with a document about this fix showing all the things they are going to regulate if they're given the authority, if we have the endangerment finding that they released today.

They're going to regulate, of course, the efficiency of a plant as they have been doing that, increase the MPG requirements for cars. But it goes beyond that. They're going to regulate the design of aircraft for fuel mileage, not for safety.

They're going to regulate the paint that they put on tankers, how fast cars can go, how fast trains can go. There were 600 and some pages of ideas of how they're going to intrude in your life.

BECK: Well, that shouldn't hurt Boeing. That shouldn't hurt Boeing at all. It shouldn't hurt any industry here in America and make us less competitive and just shift our wealth over to another country.

I mean, that's what this - look, I mean, you know, I know you'll say we'll survive this. The load that these people are putting on this table - this economy has taken blow after blow after blow from just regular things from sheer stupidity from a lot of people from out and out corruption and game playing like this is. How many more blows can this economy take?

KREUTZER: I wonder. It is like they have the intent to destroy all the sectors of the economy in one year. There is healthcare, financial regulation, you know, energy - which is just about everything. You know, they want more government, the thing that is causing the problems. Higher costs, lower income - that's what we'll get.

BECK: Thank you very much, David. I appreciate it. I just have to ask you. America, come up with an exit strategy for when all these things hit and your life stinks on ice. How do these people think they're going to stay in office? How do they do it?

I can't think - you're against it now. How do they stay in office? You might want to noodle that one. If you have an answer, come back to me. We'll be back in just a second.

BECK: I want to thank everybody who came out to "The Christmas Sweater" last Thursday night in the movie theaters. A return to redemption - an incredible night. The response has been overwhelming.

We're going to give you one more chance to check it out in the movie theaters, the big screens, this Thursday, December 10th all across the country so you can see the life-changing impact "The Christmas Sweater's" message had on people across the country. It is an uplifting night you don't want to miss. Go to "GlennBeck.com" to find a theater near you.

From New York, good night, America.

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